

## Marlon Duke Missouri Basin Deputy Regional Director



Marlon Duke brings almost 17 years of experience across a variety of federal and private sector organizations. Prior to coming to the Missouri Basin and Arkansas-Rio Grande-Texas-Gulf Regions, he served for more than four years as public affairs officer for Reclamation's Upper Colorado Basin Region. In that role, he oversaw outreach, engagement and communication for the region's 82 projects and dams, and 31 hydroelectric powerplants across all or parts of six states. He also served a long-term detail as Reclamation's chief of public affairs in Washington, DC.

Before joining Reclamation, Duke served as Director of Communication for the Transportation Security Administration's Office of Human Capital in Arlington, Virginia, where he built an all-new organization to provide active engagement with the agency's nearly 50,000 employees. Before that, he worked at U.S. Coast Guard Headquarters in Washington, DC, where he served as Strategic Planning Director for the service's

acquisition organization and led communication and legislative affairs for its \$30 billion recapitalization program.

Prior to entering federal service, Duke worked for General Dynamics Information Technology, Inc. and Policy Impact Communications, Inc., both in Washington, DC.

Duke holds a bachelor's degree from the University of Utah and an associate degree from Dixie State University in Utah. He is also a graduate from the U.S. Department of Defense Executive Leader Development Program. Duke grew up in Utah and Hawaii, he enjoys being outdoors and spending time with his wife and three children.